

laminate. This should clarify that all the pending claims are submitted to films.

Further, Applicants respectfully request acknowledgement of the Information Disclosure Statement submitted on July 17, 1991.

In view of the above, further and favorable action in the form of a notice of allowance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



William J. Bond
Registration No. 32,400

Dated: 3/23/92

MINNESOTA MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY
3M Office of Intellectual Property Counsel
P.O. Box 33427
St. Paul, Minnesota 55144-3427
(612) 736-4790

WJBAMD1/44938-5A.20